

HOUSE RESOLUTION 326
By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Russell Tipton, 2002
Valedictorian of Greenback High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Russell Tipton is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2002 graduating class at Greenback High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Tipton has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Russell Tipton has earned an exemplary 4.0 Grade Point Average; and

WHEREAS, highly respected among his peers as a leader, Mr. Tipton has served as Vice President of the Beta Club; and

WHEREAS, voted "Most Likely to Succeed" by his fellow Seniors,, he is a valued member of his school's Golf Team, the Yearbook Staff, and the Chorus; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tipton's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Russell's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Russell Tipton's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend and honor 2002 Greenback High School Valedictorian, Russell Tipton, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.